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The second foreign application's date is incorrectly stated as 06/09/1998. The correct date is 06/09/1999.

The title incorrectly starts with the word 'Method.' The title should be: "A Method and An Apparatus for the Simultaneous Determination of Surface Topometry and Biometry of the Eye."

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